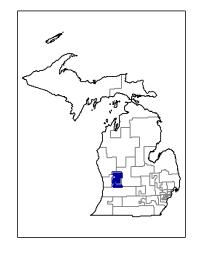
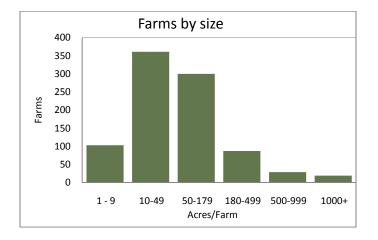
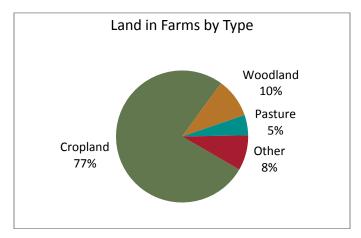


## Michigan Senate District 28



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	1,397	1,336	+ 5
Number of Farms	899	888	+ 1
Land in Farms	121,615 acres	117,159 acres	+ 4
Average Size of Farm	135 acres	132 acres	+ 2
Irrigated Land	6,718 acres	7,345 acres	- 9
Market Value of Products Sold	\$151,146,000	\$107,017,000	+ 41
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$168,126	\$120,515	+ 40
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$4,447,000	\$2,264,000	+ 96
Government Payments	\$972,000	\$2,619,000	- 63
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,031	\$12,714	- 68







**State Legislative Profile** 

## Michigan, Senate District 28

Ranked items among the 38 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold  Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse  Value of livestock, poultry and their products	151,146 104,450 46,695	12 11 15	31 31 30
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed	17,039	17 -	29
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay	7,540 24,650 53,876 156 1,189	14 7 4 18 20	29 27 31 26 29
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	82 7,694 35,280 2,419 61 687 (D)	23 15 12 12 20 17 13	30 29 25 28 29 28 21 27
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Corn for grain Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop Soybeans for beans Corn for silage or greenchop Apples	30,338 16,078 13,999 6,693 6,546	17 16 19 14 3	29 30 28 26 27
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves Hogs and pigs Pheasants Colonies of bees Horses and ponies	20,300 11,144 4,372 2,869 2,047	15 12 15 10 20	28 28 25 28 31

## **Other Senate District Highlights**

<b>Economic Characteristics</b>	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	272
\$1,000 to \$2,499	99
\$2,500 to \$4,999	85
\$5,000 to \$9,999	85
\$10,000 to \$19,999	71
\$20,000 to \$24,999	29
\$25,000 to \$39,999	57
\$40,000 to \$49,999	23
\$50,000 to \$99,999	47
\$100,000 to \$249,999	42
\$250,000 to \$499,999	41
\$500,000 or more	48
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	121,464
Average per farm (\$)	135,110
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	35,100
Average per farm (\$)	39,043

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation: Farming Other	409 490
Principal operators by sex: Male Female	756 143
Average age of principal operator (years)	55
All operators by race <sup>2</sup> : American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White More than one race	5 7 - 1,348 3
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	9

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.